

ONLY A FEW NETTERS LIFTED

**MACKEREL RECEIPTS LANDED
HERE TODAY AMOUNTED TO
12,000 POUNDS.**

Only a few of the mackerel draggers hauled their nets this morning, and the receipts, fell off from those of the past few days, the boats bringing in about 12,000 pounds. Twenty-three gill netters landed a total catch of 200,000 pounds of fish yesterday, which for the most part, went to the splitters. The only arrival of fresh fish was the Italian dragger Angie and Florence with 2500 pounds.

Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Sch. Elizabeth M. King, netting, 1500 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Paolina, netting, 100 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. St. Provvidenza II., netting, 1300 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Aeolus, netting, 2200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Audrey and Theo, netting, 400 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat 915C, netting, 100 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat D107, netting, 330 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat C 1139, netting, 175 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Rose and Lucy, netting, 1600 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Virginia and Mary, netting, 200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Rosie C., netting, 200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Grace A., netting, 300 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Catherine C., netting, 300 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Emelia D., netting, 700 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Natale II., netting, 200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Nova Julia, netting, 250 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sloop Paul Revere, netting, 800 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Paul Scola, netting, 800 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Peter Scola, netting, 100 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Angie and Vence, dragging, 2500 lbs. fresh fish.
Yesterday's Gill Net Receipts.
Boat Enterprise, 7000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Agnes and Myrnie, 15,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Inca, 25,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Mary A., 9000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Evelyn H., 12,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Phyllis A., 18,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Mary J. Landry, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Nashawena, 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Eliza C. Riggs, 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Myrtle and Gladys, 5000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Angelina, 1700 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Virginia and Joan, 11,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Ramona, 5000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat C. A. Meister, 5000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Serafina II., 8000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sailed.

Sch. J. M. Marshall, haddocking.
Sch. Azores, handlining.
Sch. Dacia, shore.

FEW MACKEREL AT BOSTON PIER

**GROUND FISH PRICES ARE LOWER
TODAY WITH ONLY MOD-
ERATE RECEIPTS.**

A fleet of 25 craft was on hand this morning at the Boston fish pier. Three of them had small lots of fresh mackerel, aggregating 5800 pounds, and they sold for 14 1-2 cents per pound. Other receipts totalled 512,000 pounds of groundfish and 75,000 pounds of mixed fish. Prices were lower.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Str. Quincy, 16,000 haddock, 6500 cod, 6000 mixed fish.
Str. Teal, 35,000 haddock, 1500 cod, 6000 mixed fish.
Str. Sea Gull, 22,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 3000 mixed fish.
Str. Holy Cross, 45,000 haddock, 4000 cod, 5000 mixed fish.
Str. Lois M. Winslow, 58,000 haddock, 7000 cod, 6000 mixed fish.
Sch. Irene and Helen, 19,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 2000 mixed fish.
Sch. Mystic, 15,000 haddock, 1500 scrod.
Sch. Helen M., 15,000 haddock, 500 cod, 7500 mixed fish.
Sch. Dacia, 3000 haddock, 700 cod, 6000 mixed fish.
Sch. Mary E. O'Hara, 13,000 haddock, 5500 cod, 17,000 hake, 2500 cusk.
Sch. Constellation, 20,000 haddock, 11,000 cod.
Sch. Mary DeCosta, 12,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 14,000 hake.
Sch. Pilgrim, 5000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 9000 hake.
Sch. Rhodora, 14,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 8000 hake.
Sch. Isabel Parker, 10,000 haddock, 6500 cod, 8000 hake.
Sch. Mary P. Goulart, 25,000 haddock, 11,000 cod, 16,000 hake.
Sch. Ethel B. Penny, 10,000 haddock, 3200 cod, 11,000 hake.
Sch. Nyoda, 500 mackerel.
Sch. Josephine and Margaret, 3800 mackerel.
Boat Famiglia, 1500 mackerel.
Boat William S., 16,000 mixed fish.
Boat Olympia, 6400 mixed fish.
Boat Leonardo, 2800 mixed fish.
Boat Frances, 5400 mixed fish.
Boat Maria D. S., 1600 mixed fish.
Haddock, \$6 to \$7 per cwt.; large cod, \$7 to \$7.50; market cod, \$5; hake, \$2 to \$3; pollock, \$1.50 to \$2; cusk, \$2 to \$3; gray sole, 7 cents to 8 cents per lb.; lemon sole, 9 cents; black backs, 3 cents; yellow tails, \$3 per bbl; dabs, \$3 per bbl.; mackerel, 14 1/2 cents per lb.; sharks, 6 cents; catfish, 6 cents.

USE NETS IN 65 PER CENT OF FISHERIES

Special to the Times).

Washington, D. C., November 14.—More than 65 per cent of the annual catch of the commercial fisheries of the United States is obtained by the use of textile nets, according to Commissioner Henry O'Malley of the bureau of fisheries, in commenting upon the publication of a study of net preservative treatments by W. T. Conn, technologist.

Of the commercial catch of raw fish, valued at about \$116,000,000 annually, \$75,000,000 worth are caught by nets. Inasmuch as the investments in fishing nets in the United States and Alaska amount to about \$16,000,000, and the value of nets alone may be seen to constitute about 20 per cent of the value of the catch made by them each year.

Conn found that excellent preservatives of nets can be made from a mixture of coal and wood tar. A preservative for pound or trap nets which give promise of a higher resistance to vegetable growth is composed of coal tar, wood tar, and red oxide of copper, and another of coal tar, copper oleate, and benzol. A most satisfactory preservative for lightweight trap nets is made up of coal and wood tar, red oxide of copper, water gas tar oil, and red oxide of mercury.

The factory value of textile webbing used for the replacement of nets annually is about \$5,400,000, it is pointed out, and this figure would be increased if the cost of merchandising, labor and transportation were added. For this reason an entire section of the bureau of fisheries is at work studying ways and means of prolonging the life of the nets, which would also tend to reduce the cost of fish to consumers.

LOCAL DRAGGER GOES ASHORE

While heading into Boston harbor yesterday from Georges, the auxiliary boat Leretha, Capt. John Morash, of this port, grounded on the lower Middle and remained two hours before floating on the rising tide, unassisted. The vessel was not leaking, and evidently sustained no damage. Today after unloading her catch of 30,000 pounds of groundfish, she will proceed to this port.

COAST GUARD HAS CRIPPLED CRAFT

The local fishing schooner Elizabeth and Ruth was being towed last night to Boston from northern Georges Banks by the 125-foot Coast Guard patrol boat Active and is expected to arrive this forenoon. A net caught in the propeller was reported as the cause of the craft's breakdown. She was sighted flying distress signals by the off-shore patrol boat shortly after noon yesterday.

Nov. 13 LAST WEEK POOR ONE FOR THE NETTERS

Owing to unfavorable weather the mackerel netters did not do much last week, although a few small catches were landed. Mackerel sold ex-vessel to wholesale dealers during the week from 15 to 20 cents per pound. In the corresponding week of 1929, no mackerel were landed by seiners but netters, took a few fish off Cape Ann and landed them at Gloucester.

Frozen mackerel have been in fair demand owing to the light receipts of fresh mackerel. The wholesale dealers are selling them to the trade

at 8 to 12 cents per pound, low prices being paid for the larger sizes.

According to the official statistics the amount of mackerel in cold storages in the United States on October 15, 1930, amounted to 8,934,788 pounds as compared with 10,397,493 pounds on the same date in 1929. The Canadian report shows that there were 796,100 pounds of mackerel on hand on October 1, 1930, as compared with 1,224,000 pounds on the same date in 1929. Salt mackerel are in moderate demand.

The total catch of mackerel to date has been 42,036,429 pounds. In 1929, it was 42,238,270 pounds; 1928, 29,157,200 pounds and in 1927, 37,888,600 pounds.

Nov. 14 BOSTON PRICES OFF SOME MORE

RECEIPTS THIS MORNING OVER
900,000 POUNDS—FEW MACK-
EREL LANDED.

A fleet of 27 craft was on hand at the Boston fish pier this morning, bringing 870,000 pounds of groundfish, 80,000 pounds of mixed fish and two lots of mackerel, aggregating 4600 pounds. Prices on groundfish dropped again. Haddock sold at \$4 to \$5; large cod, \$5 and markets, \$3. Mackerel brought 15 cents per pound.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Str. Gemma, 41,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 9100 mixed fish.
Str. Curlew, 40,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 1200 mixed fish.
Str. Wild Goose, 26,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 3100 mixed fish.
Str. Albatross, 20,000 haddock, 9000 cod, 15,000 mixed fish.
Str. Coot, 35,000 haddock, 9000 cod, 2000 mixed fish.
Str. Alden A. Mills, 70,000 haddock, 7000 cod, 5000 mixed fish.
Boat Rita B., 15,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 5000 mixed fish.
Sch. Magellan, 30,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 4000 mixed fish.
Boat Lucia, 29,000 haddock, 9000 cod, 3500 mixed fish.
Sch. Vandal, 25,000 haddock, 600 cod, 600 mixed fish.
Sch. Gertrude Parker, 37,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 1100 mixed fish.
Sch. Olivia Brown, 12,000 haddock, 500 cod, 4500 mixed fish.
Boat Marietta B., 50,000 haddock, 7500 cod, 3700 mixed fish.
Sch. Elvira Gaspar, 35,000 haddock, 3000 mixed fish.
Boat R. Eugene Ashley, 17,000 haddock, 200 cod, 6000 mixed fish.
Boat Delia C. Smith, 3000 haddock, 2200 cod, 15,000 mixed fish.
Sch. Andrew and Rosalie, 8000 haddock, 5500 cod, 12,000 hake.
Sch. Marjorie Parker, 8000 haddock, 2000 cod, 15,000 cusk.
Sch. Killarney, 20,000 haddock, 4000 cod, 5000 hake.
Sch. Eleanor Nickerson, 52,000 haddock, 6000 cod.
Sch. Wanderer, 22,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 24,000 hake.
Sch. Catherine Burke, 14,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 15,000 hake.
Sch. Hesperus, 24,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 9000 hake, 9000 cusk.
Sch. Arthur D. Story, 9000 haddock, 4500 cod, 15,000 hake.
Sch. Joseph Warner, 4500 cod.
Boat Santina, 1600 mackerel.
Boat Thelma, 3000 mackerel.
Haddock, \$4 to \$5 per cwt.; large cod, \$5; market cod, \$3; hake, \$2 to \$2.50; pollock, \$1.50; cusk, \$2 to \$2.50; gray sole, 6 to 9 cents per lb.; lemon sole, 5 cents; black backs, 2 cents to 3 cents; yellow tails, \$3 per bb!; mackerel, 15 cents; shark, 6 cents; catfish, 5 cents.

Nov. 14 ONLY ONE FARE OF FRESH FISH

DRAGGER ELVIRA GASPER DOWN
FROM BOSTON THIS NOON
WITH 35,000 POUNDS.

The local dragger Elvira Gasper with 35,000 pounds of ground fish came down from Boston this noon for the General Seafoods Corporation, being the first off-shore boat to take out here for several days. Mackerel netters had a fair night's fishing, some of the fleet running over 1000 pound hauls. Gill netters hit heavy pollock hauls yesterday, the fleet landing close to 200,000 pounds which went to split. There was also a couple of small shore boats reported with fresh fish this morning.

Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:
Sch. Elvira Gasper, via Boston, 35,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat 903E, shore, 1000 lbs. mixed fish.
Boat Maria Concetta, shore, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.
Sch. Natalie S., shore, 2000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Grace A., netting, 500 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat C1139, netting, 200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Rose and Lucy, netting, 250 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Rose Marie, netting, 200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sloop Paul Revere, netting, 200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Little Joe, netting, 600 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Bethulia, netting, 400 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat R107, netting, 200 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Emma Marie, netting, 700 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Shirley M. Clattenburg, netting, 1700 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Antonina, netting, 600 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Pocomo, netting, 2 mackerel.
Sch. Newcastle, netting, 1000 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Aloma, netting, 1000 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Sch. Mystic, via Boston.
Boat Beraldine and Phyllis, via Boston.
Boat Leretha, via Boston.
Boat Catherine C., netting, 500 lbs. fresh mackerel.

Boat Nova Julia, netting, 900 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Boat Natalie II, netting, 800 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Peter Scola, netting, 300 lbs. fresh mackerel.
Paul Scola, netting, 1500 lbs. fresh mackerel.

Yesterday's Gill Net Receipts.

Boat Enterprise, 7000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Agnes and Myrnie, 7000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Inca, 25,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Mary A., 4000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Evelyn H., 9000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Phyllis A., 6000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Mary J. Landry, 15,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Nashawena, 5000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Eliza C. Riggs, 6000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Myrtle and Gladys, 7000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Liboria C., 6000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Joanna, 9000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Edna Fae, 11,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Naomi Bruce II., 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Naomi Bruce III., 4000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Lucetia, 25,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Elizabeth and James, 8000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Virginia and Joan, 11,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Ramona, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat C. A. Meister, 3500 lbs. fresh fish.
Boat Serafina II., 8000 lbs. fresh fish.

On the Railways.

Boat Margaret D., is on Rocky Neck railways.
Sch. Thomas S. Gorton is on Burnham's railways.
Boats Fannie F. Hickey and Alicia are on Parkhurst's railways.